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Subject: Re: Fwd: PCIA Opportunity: Now Accepting Applications to Have Your Stove Tested in U.S. EPA Laboratory

Dar,

We were out yesterday (Federal Holiday - Columbus Day), so did not see your message until today.

EPA's Stove Performance Testing Opportunity is open to all cooking technologies. As you can imagine, we have limited resources and will only be able to test a relatively small number of technologies - thus the request for applications with selection criteria so that we can objectively determine which technologies to test.

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Brenda and John

I guess you didn't get this one. Is there a facility available to you to test solar cookers?

Dar

Begin forwarded message:

From: Darwin Curtis <darwincurtis@comcast.net>

Date: October 5, 2011 5:48:08 PM EDT

To: moderator@pciaonline.org

Subject: Re: PCIA Opportunity: Now Accepting Applications to Have Your Stove Tested in U.S. EPA Laboratory

Brenda and John

Is this undertaking limited to fuel efficient stoves or should we submit the HotPot for testing?

Dar

On Oct 5, 2011, at 4:49 PM, PCIA Moderator wrote:

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Stove Performance Testing Opportunity

Participate in the third round of laboratory stove performance testing – applications are due **October 20, 2011**.

Timeline

Application Deadline: October 20, 2011.

Stoves Selected: Late-November.

Testing Period: December 2011 – March 2012.

Selection Criteria

You must be an active PCIA Partner to have your stove considered. To join the Partnership, visit

www.PCIAonline.org/BecomeAPartner.

Your stove cannot have been previously tested by U.S. EPA. We will also consider other factors, such as, the number of stoves being disseminated or the potential for dissemination; existing fuel use test results; and unique features of the stove. Initially, only one stove per organization may be selected. If additional funds become available, it is possible that a second stove may be considered.

You can find complete details and the application at

<http://www.pciaonline.org/content/epa-stove-testing-application>.

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The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) is pleased to announce an exciting opportunity for [Partnership for Clean Indoor Air \(PCIA\)](#) Partners. U.S. EPA is selecting stoves for its third round of laboratory stove performance testing through a competitive process. [Applications for testing](#) are due **October 20, 2011**.

U.S. EPA aims to test the performance of 20 cooking technologies and fuels under a variety of operating and testing conditions for fuel consumption, energy efficiency, power and emissions.

If selected, the performance of your stove will be tested – at no cost – by an U.S. EPA laboratory. This is also an opportunity to gain recognition for your stove, as test results will be published in peer-reviewed scientific literature as well as distributed through PCIA communication channels. Examples of published results from rounds one and two can be found in the report titled [Solid Fuel Household Cook Stoves: Characterization of Performance and Emission](#) and the webinar [EPA Lab Test Results for Household Cook Stoves](#).

While participating in stove testing provides you with independent, laboratory performance results for your individual stove, test results also benefit the global cook stove community by:

Guiding implementation decisions and improving stove design and performance;
Transferring testing knowledge to build regional capacity for evaluating cook stoves; and
Providing scientists and researchers with test results on emissions that can affect human health and global climate.

To apply for this round of stove testing, complete the short on-line [application](#), including information on local cooking practices and photos of your stoves.

For additional information on this opportunity, please contact moderator@PCIAonline.org.

We hope that you will take advantage of this unique opportunity and look forward to working with the selected Partners.

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